

GIANTS VS. BROOKLYN.

HOSPITAL CASE FOR GRAND JURY

District-Attorney Investigating the Death of Mrs. Bennett, with a View of Having Man Responsible for Outrage Indicted.

The Grand Jury will in all probability be called upon to consider the case of Mrs. Anna Bennett, the rich woman who, when taken ill in the street, was pronounced "drunk" by Dr. Karl Connell, of New York Hospital, and so shocked and frightened by the ordeal of being taken through the crowded streets in a patrol wagon to the Tenderloin police station, that she died of apoplexy when finally admitted to the hospital.

District-Attorney Philbin and Assistant Thomas F. Byrne began this afternoon an inquiry into the matter with a view of having the man responsible for the outrage indicted.

At this time two other separate investigations are under way, one by the authorities of the New York Hospital, whose ambulance surgeon made the erroneous diagnosis and refused to take the woman to the hospital, the other by the Police Department, under the direction of Deputy Commissioner York, who will show that the police acted with good judgment all through the case, realizing that Mrs. Bennett was not ill, and it was through their insistence that the unfortunate woman was at last removed to the hospital.

Caused by The Evening World. This new development is due to The Evening World, which has given in full all of the details of the case and shown the efforts of certain of the hospital officials to shield Dr. Connell and the fact that the record of the case at the hospital was changed in an attempt to hide the blunder.

Foreman Church, of the Grand Jury, is much interested in the matter, and today, after having read all the details, turned the papers over to Assistant District-Attorney Byrne and told him to ask Mr. Philbin whether the blunder made by the surgeon was not a misdemeanor and a fit matter for the Grand Jury.

Mr. Byrne did as instructed and late this afternoon he and Mr. Philbin had a lengthy conference in which all of the details were gone over. Mr. Philbin will summon all of the witnesses either to-morrow or Monday.

The New York Hospital authorities began their investigation to-day, but all news concerning it was refused at the hospital, though it was considered that Dr. Connell might be suspended pending the inquiry.

Despite the assertion of Assistant Superintendent Robinson, who in defending Connell says it was because of Mrs. Bennett's own refusal that she was not removed to the hospital, President Shepard Gandy, of the New York Hospital Corporation, not only demands to know why the surgeon left in the street a woman afflicted with vertigo or apoplexy to be taken to the police station as a "common drunk," but why an erasure was made in the hospital record substituting one diagnosis for another.

Changed the Record.

The first record described the case as "alcoholism," but when the blunder was apparent and the dying woman was brought to the hospital, the word was scraped out. This erasure was only made after The Evening World had given publicity to the case, and from the statements of all persons concerned, even Dr. Robinson himself, showed what a frightful error had been committed.

Frederick W. Bennett, husband of the



SURGEON CONNELL.

"PHIL" WISSIC IS BANKRUPT.

Owes \$3,959 and Has No Assets, but Saloon Flourishes.

All the east side talked this afternoon of Phil Wissic's "hard luck" in filing a petition in the United States Court to be declared a bankrupt. His saloon at No. 20 Grand street did a better business than it has for months.

"Phil," as he is familiarly known, met every one with a glad hand and a merry smile.

"They can't do me," he said. "I'm like five acres—tied, but never beaten." Four witnesses is the only excuse that Wissic would give for his act. He gave his occupation as clerk. His schedule showed liabilities of \$3,959 and no assets.

The principal creditor of two is Blon L. Burrows, No. 38 Park row, who has a judgment for \$1,784.16. The petition was filed by Lawyer Elias Rosenthal, of No. 36 Broadway.

Some years ago Wissic made his appearance in the Assembly. A woman's suffrage bill came up and Wissic achieved notoriety by a sally whose chief characteristic was the indecency of its double meaning.

Superb Dining-Car Service.

The Pennsylvania Railroad dining-car service is noted for its excellence and the menu for their variety.

Rate Hat Stern's Electric Paste and die out of the house, leaving no odor. No Druggists and grocers.

CHARLEY WHITE OFF FOR 'FRISCO.

Referee Left New York Mysteriously Last Tuesday.

Charley White, the popular referee of fights, left for San Francisco last Tuesday to referee the contest between Terry McGovern and Oscar Gardner, which is to be decided before the Twentieth Century Athletic Club next Tuesday night.

White left mysteriously and did not tell even his friends he was going. It was not until to-day that the news leaked out.

Sam Harris, manager of Terry McGovern, is in all probability responsible for White's selection as referee. Before starting for the coast Harris told White that he would do everything in his power to get him to referee all McGovern's fights.

The "Frisco Club" at first refused to accept White as referee because of the sum he asked for his services, but Harris insisted and gained his point.

Columbia Wheelmen Organized.

The Columbia Wheelmen, of New York, have just organized, with the following officers: President, Henry Harrow; Vice-President, Clarence Friedman; Treasurer, Dr. J. Goldstein; Recording Secretary, M. A. Gato; Financial Secretary, Martin Levy; Sergeant-at-Arms, I. D. Nelson.

Capt. Leo Levy announced that the fatal run will be on Sunday next, April 23, to Coney Island, starting from Fifth avenue and One Hundred and

Blackburn street at 2 P. M.

NEW YORK WINS

SCORE BY INNINGS.

BROOKLYN.....	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3
NEW YORK.....	0	0	3	0	0	0	2	0	0	5

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Seventh Inning—Daly safe on Hickman's error. Dahle fanned. Daly was nipped off first. McGuire was hit. He scored on Strang's wild throw of Donovan's hit. Davis fied out. One run.

Bowerman singled. Mathewson bunted safely. Van Walker singled. Bowerman scoring. Davis fied out. Mathewson also scoring. Hickman out at first. Two runs.

Eighth Inning—Keeler fied out. Sheppard walked. Kelley fied at first. McCreery struck out. No runs.

Strang and Ganzel struck out. Murphy singled out. No runs.

Ninth Inning—Kelley out at first. Dahle struck out. McGuire fied to Selbach. No runs.

At Pittsburg—St. Louis-Pittsburg game 5th—wet ground. At Philadelphia—Boston, 4; Philadelphia, 3. At Chicago—2nd of fourth inning; Cincinnati 6, Chicago 0.

AMERICAN LEAGUE GAMES.

At Phila.—End of seventh inning; Boston 4, Phila. 1. At Detroit—End of sixth inning; Milwaukee 4, Detroit 2.

SIXTH RACE AT AQUEDUCT.

Sixth Race—Donna Henrietta 1, A. 2, Brahmin 3.

LATE NEWS OF INTEREST IN BRIEF TABLOID FORM.

MRS. MUIR'S FIGHT BEGUN.—The contest of Mrs. Edie J. Muir against the will of her mother, the widow of Senator McPherson, was begun in the Hudson County Orphans' Court to-day.

BODY IN RIVER.—The body of a man about fifty years old was found in the bay off Forty-first street, Brooklyn, this afternoon.

USURPED LAW'S FUNCTION.—Four negroes of good character were locked up in the Camden (N. J.) jail charged with flagging a relative, Joseph Forber, of Haddonfield. The prisoners say in justification that Forber ten days ago tried to kill his wife.

CABINET DISCUSSES CUBA.—McKinley's Cabinet to-day, discussing the Cuban delegates' visit, united in the opinion that the Platt amendment will be favorably reported.

STEAMER IN TROUBLE.—The Har-

Regal Splendor makes a trip westward on the Pennsylvania Limited every day.

Key Cedars (N. J.) Life-Saving station reported at noon to-day that anchored off there was a northward-bound Old Dominion steamer apparently trying to repair her machinery.

BIDWELL REAPPOINTED.—The President to-day reappointed George H. Bidwell to be Collector of Customs for the district of New York.

DESTRUCTIVE STORM.—Great destruction is reported from a heavy rain and hail storm in Northern Arkansas. Many railway bridges were torn away.

WEATHER FORECAST.

Forecast for the thirty-six hours ending at 8 P. M. Saturday for New York City and vicinity—Fair to-night and Saturday; fresh north to east winds.

10,000 FANS AT POLO GROUNDS.

Champions Score Twice in the First Two Innings, but Then the Giants Tally Three in a Glorious Rally and Take the Lead.

The Batting Order.
New York: Van Halten, cf. Selbach, lf. Davis, ss. Hickman, rf. Strang, 3b. Ganzel, lb. Murphy, 2b. Bowerman, c. Mathewson, p. Umpire—Mr. O'Day.

The attendance when the game started was 10,000.

The Polo Grounds Parade.

The Polo Grounds are swarming with a gay and festive crowd.

The band is sounding merrily and cheers are long and loud.

There's beauty in the grand stand and hearts go

For the Brooklyn and the Giants are coming to the bat.

Now Sam are wildly waving mid the red-dart of

And the bugler starts the ditty "Ho, the Com-

For a heavy group emerges from the club-house

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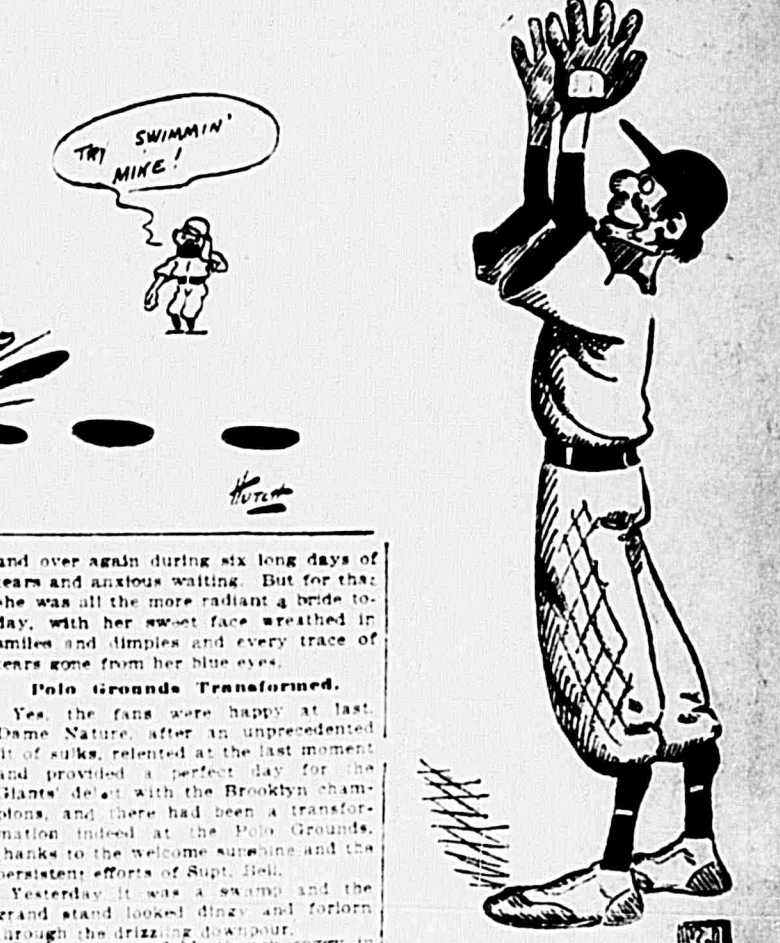
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Capt. Kelley—We paraded at Philadelphia, and marched at Brooklyn, and now we're at it again! We'll soon be good enough to join the army.



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